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STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

COUNTY BOARD, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ADJOURNED REGULAR SEPTEMBER A.D., 2007 SESSION

APRIL 8, A.D., 2008

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD:

As Chairman of the County Board, I present herewith a Resolution congratulating Anne Marie Kommers as the winner of the Lake County Final Spelling Bee Competition; and request its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzi Schmidt, Chairman Lake County Board

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Anne Marie Kommers, a $6^{\rm th}$ grade student at the School of St. Mary in Lake Forest, was the winner of the Lake County Final Spelling Bee Competition held at the College of Lake County on March 18, 2008; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 27 and 28, students from 120 public and non-public schools in Lake County participated in three Spelling Bee sectional contests co-sponsored by the Lake County Journals and the Lake County Regional Office of Education; and

WHEREAS, Anne Marie will travel to Washington, DC to compete in the Annual Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee to be held on May 29-30, 2008.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that we do hereby congratulate Anne Marie Kommers for winning the Lake County Final Spelling Bee competition, and we wish her the best of luck in her upcoming competition in Washington, DC.

- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we can not only take pride in the honor and excellence that Anne Marie has achieved for herself and her family, but we can also take a measure of admiration and appreciation for the energy, optimism, and commitment as displayed by Anne Marie Kommers as she prepares for her upcoming competition;
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that we do hereby commend Anne Marie Kommers for her efforts and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

DATED, at WAUKEGAN, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS on this 8th day of April, AD, 2008.